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U.S. Dry Pea Exports in 1970-71

Valued at $16.9 Million; Lentil

Exports at $5.9 Million

U.S. exports of dry edible peas amounted to 2,632,130 cwt., valued at $16.9 million in the marketing year ending August 1971. This is a 20 percent decrease from the record total of 3,294,606 in 1969-70, but a $3.4 million increase in value.

Green pea exports of 1,178,112 cwt., valued at $7.6 million were the lowest in 3 years, down 29 percent from the previous year. Shipments to the United Kingdom, principal importer of these peas, were the lowest in more than 20 years.

Yellow peas reached a record volume of 411,021 cwt., valued at $2.2 million with Venezuela receiving 56 percent of the total.

Other dry pea exports of 775,553 cwt., valued at $3.9 million were down from the 1969-70 total of 957,892 cwt., valued at $4.3 million. Japan was the major importer but the volume decreased by 35 percent.

Seed peas exports decreased to 267,456 cwt., compared with 288,487 the previous year. Canada and the United Kingdom were the principal markets. These exports were valued at $3.1 million compared with $3.2 in 1969-70.

Lentil exports of 593,164 cwt., were 5 percent less than the record 626,276 cwt., of the previous year. West Germany and Greece were the major importers. Lentil exports were valued at $5.9 million compared with $4.4 in 1969-70.

Dry peas: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1960-64, annual 1968-70

Destination	Average[1/] 1960-64	Marketing year[2/] 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
North America:				
Bahamas	463	339	591	312
Barbados	6,415	22,958	26,627	12,381
Bermuda	1,235	2,034	1,607	1,319
British Honduras	794	1,297	1,379	1,585
Canada	128,286	113,584	106,655	88,366
Canal Zone	309	--	--	--
Costa Rica	750	1,074	1,445	1,340
Cuba	3,064	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	1,940	1,253	2,929	1,875
French West Indies	441	2,036	2,398	2,169
Guatemala	243	33	969	151
Haiti	--	20	20	--
Honduras	154	129	138	264
Jamaica	1,477	3,475	5,136	400
Leeward and Windward Islands	882	2,777	5,503	1,873
Mexico	9,017	10,401	22,323	11,764
Netherlands Antilles	1,102	2,001	401	722
Nicaragua	66	12	--	--
Panama	20,613	13,440	14,167	9,946
Trinidad and Tobago	73,347	43,864	7,454	18,433
Other	462	6	--	--
Total	251,060	220,733	199,742	152,900
South America:				
Argentina	1,036	4,915	11,383	2,484
Brazil	65,477	66,492	151,279	130,103
Chile	287	--	--	439
Colombia	22,289	308	2,017	4,854
Ecuador	66	--	--	--
Guyana	1,124	2,677	9,420	--
Paraguay	--	100	--	--
Peru	37,125	51,273	89,266	8,589
Surinam	17,020	19,889	19,819	24,548
Uruguay	2,381	1,033	2,996	950
Venezuela	297,621	293,363	310,130	347,236
Other	396	--	--	--
Total	444,822	440,050	596,310	519,203
Europe:				
EC:				
Belgium-Luxembourg	49,692	32,403	43,371	2,397
France	26,654	14,642	29,206	39,661
Germany, West	251,280	123,260	96,535	66,337
Italy	38,889	74,484	66,986	57,841
Netherlands	186,928	265,615	162,604	128,069
Total EC	553,443	510,404	398,702	294,305
Austria	1,455	804	642	946
Cyprus	--	--	440	2,532
Denmark	19,180	18,081	20,624	22,428

Dry peas: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1960-64, annual 1968-70 (continued)

Destination	Average 1/ 1960-64	Marketing year 2/ 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
Europe (Continued)				
Finland	3,108	251	333	1,273
Greece	1,918	1,019	447	146
Iceland	5,049	5,485	5,376	5,281
Ireland	1,455	38,851	44,448	8,579
Malta and Gozo	66	--	550	--
Norway	41,116	29,875	31,506	28,012
Portugal	--	--	332	--
Spain	2,315	19,980	37,910	88,998
Sweden	44,533	8,560	31,118	19,204
Switzerland	31,041	1,913	7,297	--
United Kingdom	784,308	808,138	869,782	601,115
Other	5,578	69	58	192
Total Europe	1,494,565	1,443,430	1,449,565	1,073,011
Asia:				
Arabian Peninsula	17	28	--	53
China, Republic of	--	83,555	92,171	104,133
Hong Kong	7,892	11,180	13,275	16,762
India	551	--	1,696	--
Iran	--	--	112	--
Iraq	375	18	--	--
Israel	3,131	1,175	8,806	11,976
Japan	71,187	353,986	891,496	662,260
Kuwait	1,279	402	304	814
Malaysia	154	104	--	153
Nansei and Nanpo Islands	2,227	1,825	3,651	4,766
Philippine Republic	7,716	13,026	22,336	12,898
Saudi Arabia	1,411	1,200	1,150	2,368
Singapore	--	--	1,466	3,154
Vietnam, South	--	1,102	--	--
Other	445	226	220	125
Total	96,385	467,827	1,036,683	819,462
Africa:				
Congo Republic	31	--	--	--
Guinea	507	--	--	--
Liberia	507	804	598	743
Libya	44	1,259	446	702
Nigeria	66	230	--	122
South Africa, Republic of	84	2,002	2,100	35,628
U.A.R. (Egypt)	110	--	--	--
Other	635	6	26	138
Total	1,984	4,301	3,170	37,333
Oceania:				
Australia	4,630	14,785	5,194	27,923
British West Pacific Islands	1,786	4,816	--	--
French Pacific Islands	1,058	376	221	--
New Zealand	661	606	3,443	2,298
Trust Pacific Islands	--	--	278	--
Total	8,135	20,583	9,136	30,221
Grand total	2,296,951	2,596,911	3,294,606	2,632,130

1/ Average includes lentils.

2/ September-August.

Dry peas, Alaska and other smooth green kinds: U.S. exports
by country of destination, average 1960-64, annual 1968-70

Destination	Average 1960-64	Marketing year 1/ 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
North America:				
Bahamas	88	--	--	67
Barbados	331	--	--	1,647
Bermuda	176	156	152	142
Canada	11,398	17,290	25,252	12,380
Canal Zone	66	--	--	--
Costa Rica	485	1,074	445	520
Cuba	2,072	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	1,521	813	2,851	1,875
French West Indies	61	208	487	540
Haiti	--	20	20	--
Jamaica	220	940	600	--
Leeward and Windward Islands	331	499	135	--
Mexico	2,998	1,446	6,920	2,744
Netherlands Antilles	287	678	50	--
Panama	882	1,205	418	513
Trinidad and Tobago	507	32,879	100	290
Other	204	--	--	--
Total	21,627	57,208	37,430	20,718
South America:				
Argentina	243	--	2,187	1,401
Brazil	55,049	59,296	148,391	125,409
Chile	44	--	--	439
Colombia	176	--	--	2,545
Ecuador	66	--	--	--
Paraguay	--	100	--	--
Peru	31,636	46,298	81,914	8,350
Surinam	1,874	1,942	2,599	2,291
Uruguay	265	656	2,250	875
Venezuela	71,010	78,501	89,222	106,384
Other	66	--	--	--
Total	160,429	186,793	326,563	247,694
Europe:				
EC:				
Belgium-Luxembourg	30,401	18,962	33,653	440
France	10,141	3,227	16,441	12,275
Germany, West	6,085	22,567	5,800	10,340
Italy	22,994	35,859	33,579	22,587
Netherlands	7,407	61,533	59,766	6,580
Total EC	77,028	142,153	149,239	52,222
Austria	--	529	--	--
Cyprus	--	--	440	445
Denmark	2,028	--	--	72
Finland	2,778	--	--	--
Greece	41	551	220	--
Iceland	2,888	3,067	3,313	4,123
Ireland	176	22,943	35,848	--
Malta and Gozo	66	--	550	--
Norway	9,259	19,316	26,044	25,010
Portugal	--	--	332	--
Spain	265	14,120	23,820	77,570
Sweden	353	600	--	4,578
Switzerland	4,277	--	4,730	--
United Kingdom	702,364	706,259	778,587	542,191
Other	157	--	--	--
Total Europe	801,680	909,538	1,023,123	706,211
Asia:				
China, Republic of	--	31,863	60,313	25,985
Hong Kong	7,231	8,940	12,650	11,140
Iran	--	--	112	--
Israel	772	440	3,180	2,203
Japan	28,065	98,117	169,858	120,053
Kuwait	198	--	--	--
Malaysia	154	--	--	--
Nansei and Nanpo Islands	2,116	1,816	3,651	4,766
Philippine Republic	5,732	12,816	22,208	11,797
Saudi Arabia	265	--	139	109
Singapore	--	--	1,232	600
Vietnam, South	--	1,102	--	--
Other	154	--	--	--
Total	44,587	155,139	273,343	176,653
Africa:				
British West Africa	176	--	--	--
Congo, Republic of	31	--	--	--
Ethiopia	--	--	--	72
Liberia	265	22	--	96
Libya	19	--	--	--
Nigeria	31	--	--	--
South Africa, Republic of	--	--	--	25,499
Other	7	--	--	--
Total	529	22	--	25,667
Oceania:				
Australia	2,293	4,570	3,383	1,164
French Pacific Islands	220	248	34	--
New Zealand	44	--	--	--
Total	2,557	4,818	3,417	1,164
Grand total	1,031,509	1,313,518	1,663,876	1,178,112

1/ September-August

Dry peas, yellow: U.S. exports by country of destination,
1960-64 average, annual 1968-70

Destination	Jan.-Aug. 1965	Marketing year1/ 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
North America:				
Bahamas	110	53	228	116
Barbados	5,335	14,547	10,259	2,428
British Honduras	485	685	939	935
Canada	287	--	5,005	--
Costa Rica	--	--	--	220
French West Indies	--	124	--	--
Honduras	44	92	114	164
Jamaica	198	1,071	1,395	--
Leeward and Windward Islands	22	475	90	59
Mexico	--	--	--	429
Netherlands Antilles	--	80	--	--
Panama	4,189	7,921	6,295	6,688
Trinidad and Tobago	11,662	--	--	10,199
Total	22,332	25,048	24,325	21,238
South America:				
Brazil	--	--	--	1,140
Guyana	--	1,857	--	--
Peru	--	--	3,000	--
Surinam	10,538	17,453	17,204	22,228
Venezuela	130,777	201,279	209,882	229,899
Total	141,315	220,589	230,086	253,267
Europe:				
EC:				
Belgium-Luxembourg	--	24	--	--
Germany, West	1,499	87,156	54,117	34,451
Netherlands	7,055	6,039	11,340	14,793
Total EC	8,554	93,219	65,457	49,244
Austria	--	--	--	330
Denmark	2,822	4,382	17,724	18,160
Finland	683	--	--	--
Greece	485	220	--	--
Iceland	1,257	2,418	1,327	1,158
Norway	15,124	9,487	3,876	2,293
Sweden	6,327	--	15,558	225
Switzerland	9,634	--	--	--
United Kingdom	6,922	1,120	6,4[illegible]	400
Total Europe	51,808	110,846	110,357	71,810
Asia:				
China, Republic of	--	6,620	17,256	17,338
Hong Kong	1,124	1,550	190	450
Iraq	1,918	--	--	--
Israel	--	--	593	--
Japan	--	220	460	38,539
Malaysia	--	--	--	110
Philippine Republic	132	98	70	1,000
Saudi Arabia	154	360	216	384
Total	3,328	8,848	18,785	57,821
Africa:				
Liberia	88	48	20	278
South Africa, Republic of	--	--	--	6,604
UAR (Egypt)	88	--	--	--
Total	176	48	20	6,882
Oceania:				
Australia	--	40	784	--
British West Pacific Islands	309	4,046	--	--
Total	309	4,086	784	--
Grand total	219,268	369,466	384,356	411,021

1/ September-August.

Dry peas, other[1]: U.S. exports by country of destination,
1965 (January-August), annual 1968-70

Destination	Jan.-Aug. 1965	Marketing year[2] 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
North America:				
Bahamas	397	286	363	129
Barbados	4,784	8,411	16,368	8,306
Bermuda	683	1,854	1,455	1,177
British Honduras	463	612	440	650
Canada	3,571	800	5,665	1,252
Dominican Republic	110	440	78	--
El Salvador	--	12	--	--
French West Indies	595	1,704	1,911	1,629
Guatemala	22	33	10	151
Honduras	22	37	24	100
Jamaica	419	1,464	2,487	400
Leeward and Windward Islands	1,014	1,803	5,278	1,814
Mexico	1,477	2,677	2,956	974
Netherlands Antilles	926	1,243	351	722
Panama	970	4,314	7,454	2,745
Trinidad and Tobago	14,176	10,985	7,354	7,944
Total	29,629	36,675	52,194	27,993
South America:				
Brazil	--	4,400	--	882
Colombia	22	--	--	--
Guyana	2,403	820	9,420	--
Peru	--	4,931	4,170	--
Surinam	--	494	16	29
Venezuela	1,852	13,583	10,589	8,923
Total	4,277	24,228	24,195	9,834
Europe:				
EC:				
Belgium-Luxembourg	53,241	11,490	4,896	528
France	2,094	4,802	4,361	6,478
Germany, West	5,534	1,982	17,907	5,394
Italy	28,505	21,423	11,700	22,060
Netherlands	149,450	117,499	52,289	77,244
Total EC	238,824	157,196	91,153	111,704
Cyprus	--	--	--	2,087
Denmark	8,355	11,403	--	--
Finland	110	86	168	63
Greece	--	220	150	--
Iceland	110	--	736	--
Ireland	--	2,218	--	--
Norway	287	--	1,120	115
Spain	1,830	5,167	13,484	11,406
Sweden	882	--	--	--
Switzerland	--	--	2,567	--
United Kingdom	9,634	45,490	29,864	8,257
Other	--	49	27	--
Total Europe	260,032	221,829	139,269	133,632
Asia:				
Arabian Peninsula	88	28	--	53
China, Republic of	--	45,072	14,402	60,675
Hong Kong	--	690	435	5,172
India	--	--	1,696	--
Indonesia	--	--	48	--
Iraq	132	18	--	--
Israel	--	220	1,430	1,100
Japan	138,052	255,479	719,775	503,338
Kuwait	573	402	304	814
Malaysia	--	104	--	23
Philippine Republic	110	67	58	--
Saudi Arabia	1,367	840	795	1,875
Singapore	--	162	234	2,554
Other	--	9	--	87
Total	140,322	303,091	739,177	575,691
Africa:				
Liberia	419	734	578	369
Libya	243	1,220	446	702
Nigeria	110	230	--	122
Other	--	18	--	66
Total	772	2,202	1,024	1,259
Oceania:				
Australia	1,235	9,135	617	26,357
British West Pacific Islands	--	770	--	--
French Pacific Islands	--	128	120	--
New Zealand	--	77	1,013	785
Trust Pacific Islands	--	--	278	--
Total	1,235	10,110	2,028	27,142
Grand total	436,267	598,134	957,892	775,553

1/ New category, effective January 1965, includes Blackeyed Beans, Mexican beans, Chickpeas, Cowpeas, Austrian Winter, Blackeyed, White split and White whole peas.

2/ September-August.

Seed peas: U.S. exports by country of destination,
1960-64 average, annual 1968-70

Destination	Average 1960-64	Marketing year 1/ 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
North America:				
Canada	93,762	95,494	70,733	74,734
Costa Rica	44	--	1,000	600
Guatemala	243	--	959	--
Jamaica	--	--	654	--
Mexico	1,631	6,278	12,447	7,617
Other	176	24	--	--
Total	95,856	101,796	85,793	82,951
South America:				
Argentina	794	4,915	9,916	1,083
Brazil	3,748	2,796	2,888	2,672
Chile	243	--	--	--
Colombia	397	308	2,017	2,309
Peru	353	44	182	239
Uruguay	2,116	377	746	75
Venezuela	88	--	437	2,030
Other	22	--	--	--
Total	7,761	8,440	15,466	8,408
Europe:				
EC:				
Belgium-Luxembourg	1,587	1,927	4,822	1,429
France	1,808	6,613	8,404	20,908
Germany, West	9,039	11,555	18,711	16,152
Italy	7,385	17,202	21,707	13,194
Netherlands	5,203	80,539	39,209	29,452
Total EC	25,022	117,836	92,853	81,135
Austria	44	275	642	616
Denmark	2,183	2,296	2,900	4,196
Finland	66	165	165	1,210
Greece	88	28	77	146
Hungary	--	--	--	192
Ireland	1,036	13,690	8,600	8,579
Norway	110	1,072	466	594
Spain	--	693	606	22
Sweden	13,845	7,960	15,560	14,401
Switzerland	3,219	1,913	--	--
United Kingdom	33,907	55,269	54,916	50,267
Other	88	20	31	--
Total Europe	79,608	201,217	176,816	161,358
Asia:				
China, Republic of	--	--	200	135
Hong Kong	13	--	--	--
India	551	--	--	--
Israel	2,072	497	3,603	8,673
Japan	3,505	170	1,403	330
Malaysia	--	--	--	20
Nansei and Nanpo Islands	110	--	--	--
Philippine Republic	220	--	--	101
Saudi Arabia	22	--	--	--
Syrian Arab Republic	66	44	88	--
Other	75	20	84	38
Total	6,634	731	5,378	9,297
Africa:				
Libya	--	39	--	--
South Africa, Republic of	84	2,002	2,100	3,525
Other	403	--	26	--
Total	487	2,041	2,126	3,525
Oceania:				
Australia	66	1,040	410	402
French Pacific Islands	--	--	67	--
New Zealand	617	529	2,430	1,513
Total	683	1,569	2,907	1,915
Grand total	191,029	315,793	288,487	267,456

1/ September-August.

Lentils: U.S. exports by country of destination,
1965 (January-August), annual 1968-70

Destination	Jan.-Aug. 1965	Marketing year 1/ 1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
North America:				
Bahamas	--	164	--	--
Barbados	--	--	341	58
Bermuda	--	16	--	--
Canada	430	979	1,695	3,800
Costa Rica	225	1,128	860	2,018
Dominican Republic	160	230	115	130
El Salvador	--	12	--	26
French West Indies	1,479	95	--	--
Guatemala	14	24	--	34
Jamaica	--	16	--	--
Leeward and Windward Islands	40	1,966	1,721	1,970
Mexico	1,874	3,487	3,076	2,769
Netherlands Antilles	--	79	--	--
Nicaragua	--	36	--	--
Panama	10,969	33,516	37,366	44,043
Trinidad and Tobago	3,334	6,100	3,378	10,227
Total	18,525	47,848	48,552	65,075
South America:				
Argentina	--	--	--	3,200
Bolivia	--	--	--	500
Chile	--	--	45	--
Colombia	60	169	45	22,105
Paraguay	--	300	--	--
Peru	4,400	16,230	25,409	6,400
Surinam	200	--	--	--
Venezuela	10,186	55,257	64,367	57,493
Total	14,846	71,956	89,866	89,698
Europe:				
EC:				
Belgium-Luxembourg	3,668	5,688	2,530	2,140
France	33,273	8,175	14,515	7,225
Germany, West	95,218	132,349	228,568	142,618
Italy	2,810	26,976	46,258	56,195
Netherlands	66,640	38,528	21,356	23,106
Total EC	201,609	211,716	313,227	231,284
Austria	880	1,102	1,320	770
Germany, East	26,500	--	--	--
Greece	4,126	89,199	126,161	114,775
Norway	--	706	18	24
Spain	6,599	19,508	23,118	53,410
Sweden	278	435	2,559	893
Switzerland	--	3,231	4,072	7,370
Turkey	--	500	--	--
United Kingdom	--	224	285	12,769
Yugoslavia	--	8,690	--	2,188
Total Europe	239,992	335,311	470,760	423,483
Asia:				
Hong Kong	--	14	--	--
Israel	--	--	2,800	--
Japan	--	--	3,093	--
Kuwait	480	2,450	1,349	1,644
Philippine Republic	263	357	158	--
Saudi Arabia	666	1,344	1,105	1,128
Other	140	--	--	--
Total	1,549	4,165	8,505	2,772
Africa:				
Ethiopia	--	--	--	48
Guinea	2,484	--	--	--
Liberia	24	--	--	--
Libya	--	--	132	202
South Africa, Republic of	--	1,840	500	2,634
Total	2,508	1,840	632	2,884
Oceania:				
Australia	5,493	7,961	6,449	7,892
French Pacific Islands	1,037	1,578	1,111	1,296
New Zealand	--	--	400	66
Total	6,530	9,539	7,960	9,254
Grand total	283,953	470,659	626,276	593,164

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